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HEAR ALL SIDES

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WEATHER FORECAST.

UTAH-Fair Sunday and Probably Monday; Moderate tem-

TROUBLE AHEAD FOR PANAMA FORTS.

The "Roosevelt doctrine" that the Panama canal can, should, must and shall be fortified by the United States is stirring up a regular hornets' nest in Europe. Europe, it appears, has been expecting Uncle Sam to dig the canal and pay for it—and then let his enemies use it in case of war.

M. Bunau-Varilla, who acted as go-between in negotiating the canal treaty between Panama and the United States, says that we have no sign of a right to fortify the canal, except to give it police protection. All such ocean passages, says he, should be "permanently neutral and be considered the common property of the nations, like the sea itself."

Uncle Sam is going right ahead with the plans to fortify the Panama works, however. Friendly nations can use the canal as much as they please, by paying the canal dues, of course, but any nation that counts on using it as a means of making war on the builder will find it closed tight.

This question will no doubt be one of the great world issues of the future, and may easily be itself a cause of war. The Japanese are already much aroused over it.

ITALIANS BLED BY THE LOTTERY.

Wherever you go in Italy you see signs hung out before little shops saying "Banco Lotto." These are the offices of the national lottery. People are constantly going there and buying lottery tickets, and on the days of the drawings the inhabitants wait around all day to see whether they have drawn a prize.

They do not realize how much money and time they are wasting, and the government encourages them in this form of gambling, for it derives a big revenue from the lottery and finds it is easier to wheedle money out of the poor people in this way than by taxing them openly. In the last year the lottery has brought in about \$17,000,000, and over half of this went into the government strong-box as "profits." Nearly all the Latin peoples squander their money on lotteries, though every one knows what bad moral effects they have.

ADVERTISE THE CANYON.

It has been suggested that a movement for the better advertising of Ogden Canyon be started this Fall, having in view the drawing to the beautiful gorge a great tourist travel next year.

In early spring, when Ogden River is a raging torrent, sweeping over the immense boulders in the bed of the stream, foaming and roaring there is a charm in the canyon no where else to be found alongside a trolley line within a few minutes' ride of a city the size of Ogden.

In early summer, when the wild flowers are lending their fragrance to the balsam of the pines, and the birds are carolling, once you have entered the portals of the gorge there is a desire to remain and enjoy the paradise, where Nature, throwing off restraints, bids one to discard all cares.

In Autumn—these Autumnal days—when the hand of an unseen artist is coloring the hillsides with the richest hues of the wildwood, there is no salon of Paris, no art gallery of a Morgan, to compare with the paintings in the deep ravines and back of the cliffs in Ogden

Today, if the weather is as delightful as yesterday, a ride on the cars to the canyon will make every Ogdenite fervently hope that the day will come when countless thousands of the city folks, who live so far from contact with Nature in all its naturalness, may have the opportunity of feeling the thrill inspired by the canyon scenery.

And the way to proceeed to let others know the grandeur of our Ogden canyon is to organize a well directed campaign of advertising-not next year, but now, in time for the tourist travel of next

All companies conducting excursions, all places visited by tourists and all large hotels in the larger cities should be supplied with literature and half-tones of Ogden canyon.

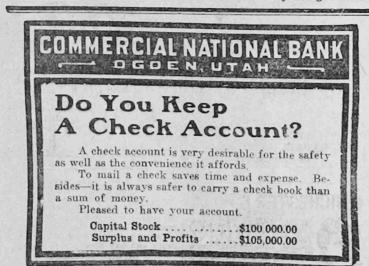
But, first of all, we must get a distinctive name for the canyon. There are many canyons in this western country, but there is only one gorge as impressive as that through which the Ogden Rapid Transit company has its street car line.

LIGHTNING AND ELECTRIC WIRES.

Timid people, when thunderstorms break over the city, refrain from using their telephones or electric lights, but our local electricians state that since the ground wires have been attached to the electric wires which enter the homes, and the telephone companies have placed safety devices on every telephone line, there is no danger.

Early this spring the local electric service was made secure against lightning bolts by the completion of the grounding system and today the only damage the flashes can do is to burn out fuses.

A city, with a net-work of wires such as covers Ogden, is well protected from the destructive forces of the heavily charged clouds.





The wires answer the purpose of lightning rods, diverting the electric discharges and dissipating them in the earth.

As the electric flow seeks the line of least resistance, the lightning often enters the wires and is grounded.

There have been but few instances of lightning striking houses within the city limits, and no damage has been done in the business districts or where the wires are numerous.

FOUR HUNDRED NEW HOMES.

Building Inspector Leon Browning is authority for the statement that 400 homes have been built in Ogden since he took office the first of this year.

For two-thirds of a year, that is a record which will compare favorably with the building in any city.

Ogden has been known as a city of homes, and it is a source of satisfaction to know that such an enviable position is being main-

There was a time, following the depression of 1890, when outside interests held extensive property rights in Ogden. Then came a period of liquidation and, finally, within the last ten years Ogdenites have freed themselves from all outside obligations, and it is our opinion that not another city in the United States is today as self-reliant and as independent of foreign assistance or money as Ogden. That means the people here are prosperous and that the wealth of the community is well distributed; it means also that such money as has gone into new buildings and has come from beyond our boundaries has been brought here by people who have located and have made Ogden their home.

The rapid growth of Ogden promises to continue and it is not an unreasonable prediction to place this city's population at 100,000 ten years from now.

CENSUS BUREAU IS SLOW.

The census bureau continues to issue bulletins on population. At the rate of publicity now maintained, the last city will receive its returns sometime after the census of 1920 has been taken.

Here it is four months after the enumeration and only a small fraction of the larger cities have received their population statistics. Ogden may double in population by the time the census people condescend to inform us that in 1910 this city had over 26,000 people.

Some one in authority should inform the head of the census bureau that his statistics are growing out of date.

William Siegel, who came to Ogden about a week ago with a woman of the Denver underworld, was sen-tenced to serve one hundred days in rison by Police Judge J. D. Murphy in the municipal court yesterday. Slegel was arrested Friday in a rooming house with "his woman" by Detective Pender.

Siegel, when arraigned, pleaded not guilty and stated on the stand that he had merely taken a friendly interest in the girl and had, as a conse-quence, paid her fare from Denver to Ogden. Siegel appears to be a Russian Jew and the girl, who took the stand to testify in his defense, was a Swede and spoke English with some difficulty. She told of Siegel befriend-ing her, but stated that she had known him but four weeks.

NEGLECTED DUTIES

Before the State Bar association Judge Howell yesterday at Salt Lake will duscuss the question, "Ne glected Provisions of the State Con-stitution." The constitutional provis-ion that the judge will talk on pro-vides that the judges of the district courts shall report cases where con-stitutional law is not being enforced or where it is proven to be inopera-

Judge Howell will say that the provision places too great a burden upon the judiciary of the state, but, that if the members of the bar association will aid, it can be compiled with, and he will suggest that the lawyers take the matter up in the regular order of the business of the meeting and de-vise some definite plan by which the questions may be considered, and re-ports made to the state legislature. There are constitutional provisions thmat hase practically been disre-garded, two of the most important being the provision for the initiative

of railroad rates in the state. These questions, however, will not be discussed at the Bar association meeting tonight, but they will be left to the judges and attorneys to report the failure to enforce them at some time after the election.

FOR MORE THAN THREE DE-CADES

Foley's Honey and Tas has been household favorite for coughs, colds and ailments of the throat, chest and Contains no opiates. Pharmacy. A. R. McIntyre, Prop.

Frederick Vining Fisher, the new G were burt.
minister for the Methodist church of

and referendum and the regulation in the church today. The minister comes from Oregon and is pleased with Ogden

> Mr. Fisher is a Yale graduate and a native of New York. He states that he likes the ministerial work in the western country, because there is so much life and progress in the western people. He is well acquainted in the western country and feels that he can easily adjust himself to conditions in Ogden.

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LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. oshua Rees, a farmer of Ma- O son county, repulsed a hand of a nightriders, who attacked his O O high triders, who attacked his of the hight, according of the adispatch received here to of the day. A score of shots were except changed, but it was not known of the marauders of the maraude

this city, will preach his first sermon 0000000000000000

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